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SUBJECT: UNDP PROGRAM IN TTPI

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1. UNDP (QUIROLOGICO) ASKED SEE MISOFFS CONCERNING PROBLEM OF LANGUAGE IN PRESENT DRAFT UNDP 1977-81 COUNTRY PROGRAM FOR TTPI WHICH EXCLUDES MARIANAS (NMI). HE EXPLAINED THAT UN SECRETARIAT IS BLOCKING ISSUANCE OF DOCUMENT FOR UNDP GOVERNING COUNCIL (GC) APPROVAL IN JANUARY BECAUSE IT EXCLUDES NMI. QUIROLOGICO NOTED THAT PROBLEM COULD BE RESOLVED BY OMISSION ON PAGE THREE OF FOOTNOTE AND OF PARENTHETICAL STATEMENT QUOTE EXCLUDING THE MARIANAS, BUT INCLUDING KOSRAE UNQUOTE. HE STRONGLY RECOMMENDED OUR CONCURRENCE BECAUSE OTHERWISE HE SEES NO WAY THE TTPI COUNTRY PROGRAM CAN BE SUBMITTED FOR GC APPROVAL.

2. QUIROLOGICO AND HIS STAFF MADE FOLLOWING POINTS IN SUPPROT OF THEIR PROPOSAL: (A) PREVIOUS EXCLUSION NMI WAS IN CONNECTION WITH A UNDP PREPARATORY ASSISTANCE ACTIVITY FOR SPECIFIC AREA OF TTPI NOT RPT NOT SUBMITTED TO GC AS DISTINCT FROM OVERALL COUNTRY PROGRAM DOCUMENT AND THEREFORE NOT REALLY A PRECEDENT; (B) IN ANY EVENT, QUIROLOGICO WILLING ACCEPT THIS PRIOR EXCLUSION AS QUOTE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PERSONAL MISTAKE UNQUOTE WHICH CANNOT HELP US SOLVE PRESENT PROBLEM; (C) IN PRACTICE, NMI CAN BE EXCLUDED FROM UNDP COUNTRY PROGRAM AND (D) BASIC UNDP-USG AGREEMENT CONCERNING TTPI DOES NOT CONTAIN LANGUAGE EXCLUDING NMI AND THEREFORE WOULD BE CONSISTENT FOR COUNTRY PROGRAM DOCUMENT SIMILARLY MERELY TO REFER TO TTPI AS A WHOLE. QUIROLOGICO ALSO ADVISED US THAT HE HAD SENT DOCUMENT BACK TO THE FIELD

ON THIS PROBLEM PURSUANT TO INFORMAL UNDP CONSULTATION IN GENEVA
IN JUNE WITH REP OF USUN NY.

3. UNLESS PROBLEM RESOLVED, QUIROLOGICO ADVISES THAT UNDP
ASSISTANCE WOULD HAVE TO BE CONTINUED ON AN INDIVIDUAL
PROJECT APPROVAL BASIS RATHER THAN UNDER OVERALL UMBRELLA
OF GC-APPROVED FIVE YEAR MULTI-PROJECT PROGRAM. IN ORDER
MEET INTERNAL UNDP DEADLINES FOR PREPARATION COUNTRY
PROGRAM, HE REQUESTS EARLIEST POSSIBLE USG DECISION.
ACCORDINGLY, ADVISE WHEN WE MIGHT EXPECT YOUR RESPONSE.

4. COMMENT: AT TIME WHEN WE ARE EMPHASIZING BASIC
NEEDS AND EQUITABLE DISTRIBUTION OF RESOURCES WITHIN
COUNTRIES, UNDP IS SEIZED WITH PARTICULARLY DIFFICULT
PROBLEM OF OPENLY EXCLUDING NMI FROM TTPI PROGRAM. THEREFORE,
UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES, WE RECOMMEND GOING ALONG WITH
UNDP'S PROPOSED SOLUTION, PARTICULARLY SINCE VERY
FACT OF THIS PROGRAM FOR TTPI PLACES U.S. IN RATHER
SENSITIVE POSITION OF BEING RECIPIENT OF UNDP
ASSISTANCE.

5. SEPTTEL FOLLOWS ON TWO OTHER MATTERS QUIROLOGICO
RAISED AT MEETING REGARDING UNDP PROGRAM IN TTPI.

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